

Incident Action Plan for

Gold King Mine Release A8K9

CO-COEM-I002

Operational Period

Date From:	8/20/15	Date To:	8/23/15
Time From:	7:00	Time To:	7:00

UNIFIED COMMAND

EPA: Greg Weigel Craig Myers

STATE OF CO: David Osborn Trevor Denney

SUIT: Kathi Gurule Mick Souder Tom Johnson

LA PLATA CO: Butch Knowlton Tom McNamara



City of Durango, Agency Representative - Terry Hoecker
CDPHE, Agency Representative - Pat Pfaltzgraff
Colorado OEM, Agency Representative - Bruce Holloman
San Juan County, Agency Administrator - Jim Donovan
Ute Mountain Ute Tribe, Agency Administrator - Scott Clow

1. Incident Name Gold King Mine Release A8K9RV	2. Operational Period to be covered by IAP (Date/Time) From: 8/13/2015 0700 To: 8/20/2015 700	CG IAP COVER SHEET
3. Approved by Incident Commander(s):		
<u>ORG</u>	<u>NAME</u>	
EPA	Craig Meyer, Greg Weigle	
State of CO	David Osborn, Trevor Denney	
La Plata County	Butch Knowlton, Tom McNamara	
Southern Ute Tribe	Kathi Gurule, Mick Souder, Tom Johnson	

INCIDENT ACTION PLAN

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Silverton Press Release

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4. Prepared by: Karen Dickson PSC(t)	Date/Time: August 19, 2015 1923
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3. Incident Objective(s) 1. Ensure health and safety of the public and response management personnel. Sampling operations: 2. Continue sampling plan and develop strategy to identify and evaluate any potential risks due to sediment in the river. 3. Continue river assessment through surface water sampling. 4. Roll current well sampling effort into interim shallow groundwater monitoring plan currently under development. Communicate private well results and other follow up action within 120 hours of sampling. 5. Develop a demobilization plan for next operational period, including identifying triggers and turn back standards. 6. Implement medium term river monitoring plan with contractor per their scope of work. Mine: 7. Continue management of adit discharge. 8. Maintain stability of mine road to ensure access. 9. Prepare for mine dump stabilization. Outreach/Community: 10. Effectively communicate with public and stakeholders, including San Juan County, Colorado, utilizing a multi-faceted communication strategy to disseminate results. 11. Develop a means to assess the economic impact upon affected communities. 12. Continued coordination with the Department of Agriculture (including state and local veterinarians) and the Colorado Extension. 13. Develop short term notification system for any immediate needs and develop a plan for implementing a workgroup to develop a long term notification plan. 14. Provide water of appropriate quality for specified use. 15. Daily brief of accomplishments and upcoming activities for La Plata, San Juan County, Durango and Southern Ute policy group by 0800. 16. Develop communications message to include: a. Mine discharge management plan for next 30-60 days. b. Long term monitoring and sampling plan for Animas river and Cement Creek.		
4. Operational Period Command Emphasis Communication openness and transparency with community and stakeholders.		
5. Safety Objectives for Operational Period Report all injuries to immediate supervisor and Safety Officer. Jason Nakatsu Tony Honnellio <div style="border: 1px dashed black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px; margin-left: 10px;">Personal Phone/Ex. 6</div> <input type="checkbox"/> Approved Site Safety Plan Located at:		
6. Prepared by: (Planning Section Chief): Dee Rothery Date/Time: 8/19/2015 0727		
7. Approved by: (Incident Commander):  Date/Time: 8/19-2015 / 1931		

INCIDENT OBJECTIVES


ICS 202-EPA (Rev 4/07)

ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENT LIST(ICS 203)


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9. Prepared By: Name: Luke Chavez ICS 203 (1 of 2) IAP Page 3		Position/Title RESL Signature:  Date/Time: 8/19/2015 1700hrs																						

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ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENT LIST(ICS 203)

1. Incident Name: CO-COEM-I002 Gold King Mine Release A8K9		2. Operational Period: Date From: 8/17/15 Date To: 8/20/15 Time From: 7:00 Time To: 7:00	
3. Incident Commander(s) and Command Staff:		7. Operations Section:	
Unified Command	Mick Souder <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>	Chief	
Continued	Tom McNamara <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>	Deputy	
		Staging Area	
Public Info. Officer	Sara Spaulding <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>	Branch	GIS/Data
Public Info. Officer	Michael Davis <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>	Supervisor	Megan Adamczyk <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>
Liaison Officer	Emit Hurdelbrink <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>	Deputy	
4. Agency/Organization Representatives:		Team-A	
Agency/Organization	Name	Team-B	
City of Durango	Terry Hoecker <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>	Team-C	
CDPHE	Pat Pfaltzgraff <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>		
Colorado OEM	Bruce Hollomar <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>		
San Juan County	Jim Donovan <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>	Branch	JIC
Ute Mountain Ute Tribe	Scott Clow <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>	Supervisor	Mike Davis <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>
State of New Mexico	Karen Taka <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>	Deputy	Sara Spaulding <small>Personal Phone/Ex. 6</small>
5. Planning Section:		SUIT_SR	
Chief		Team-E	
Deputy		Team-F	
Resources Unit		Team-G	
Situation Unit			
Documentation Unit		Branch	
Demobilization Unit		Supervisor	
Technical Specialists:		Deputy	
		Team-LEO	
6. Logistics Section:			
Chief		Group	
Deputy		Supervisor	
Support Branch			
Director			
Supply Unit			
Facilities Unit			
Call Center Unit			
Service Branch		8. Finance Administration Section:	
Director		Chief	
Communications Unit		Deputy	
Medical Unit		Time Unit	
Food Unit		Procurement Unit	
		Comp/Claims Unit	
		Cost Unit	
9. Prepared By: Name: Luke Chavez		Position/Title RESL	Signature: 
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ASSIGNMENT LIST (204)

1. Incident Name: CO-COEM-1002 Gold King Mine Release A8K9		2. Operational Period: Date From: 8/20/15 Date To: 8/23/15 Time From: 7:00 Time To: 7:00		3. Branch I: <i>Assessment & Mitigation</i>																																																					
4. Operations Personnel: Operations Section Chief: Dennis Matlock Operations Section Chief: _____ Division/Group Supervisor: Chris Wagner		Name Contact Number(s) <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-top: 5px;"> Personal Phone/Ex. 6 </div>		Division-D: Group: Staging Area:																																																					
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6. Work Assignments: <i>Coordinate any additional ditch flushing/mitigation as appropriate.</i> <i>Property assessment and mitigation as appropriate.</i> <i>Provide bottled water and water delivery as appropriate.</i>																																																									
7. Special Instructions: <i>Assessment and mitigation actions will be documented through a property log.</i>																																																									
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4. Operations Personnel: Operations Section Chief: <u>Dennis Matlock</u> Operations Section Chief: _____ Division/Group Supervisor: <u>John West</u>		Name _____ Contact Number(s) _____ Personal Phone/Ex. 6 _____																		
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START	John West	12		6 strike teams 2 person ea																
La Plata County	?	1		staff																
Hydrologist	Gary Newhart	1																		
6. Work Assignments: Conduct sampling of sediment, river water, well water and public water systems as per sampling plan. Incorporate well water priorities identified by the EPA, CDPHE and La Plata County hydrologists. Develop mid-term and long-term ground water sampling plans in coordination with appropriate. Provide mapping of sampling needs and evaluate data for assessment.																				
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4. Operations Personnel:				Contact Number(s)	Division-D:
Operations Section Chief: Dennis Matlock				Personal Phone/Ex. 6	Group:
Branch Director:					Staging Area:
Division/Group Supervisor: Steve Way					
5. Resources Assigned:					Reporting Location, Special Equipment and Supplies, Remarks, Notes, Information
Resource Identifier	Leader	# of Persons	Contact e.g., (phone, pager, radio, frequency, etc.)		
EPA OSC	Mike Towle	2			Mine 0700
USGC	Ryan Schmid	2			Mine 0700
START	Elliot Petri	4			Mine 0700
ERRS	Matt Francis	6			Mine 0700
6. Work Assignments:					
Treat and sample discharge at site.					
Stabilize and maintain mine road.					
Refine water treatment process.					
Prepare to manage water treatment sludge.					
Prepare to start repairs on waste dump.					
7. Special Instructions:					
Emergency Incident: Contact Montrose Dispatch via VHF/800 interoperability EPA VHF Radios Channel 2 (FED ER 2).					
Local Coordination and/or helicopter air/ground communication via VFIRE21 EPA Radios Display "CO FERN"					
8. Communications (radio and/or phone contact numbers needed for this assignment):					
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9. Prepared by: Name: Dennis Matlock Position/Title: Ops Sec Chief Signature: [Signature]					
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Operations Section Chief:		Dennis Matlock	304-280-7500	Group:
Operations Section Chief:				Staging Area:
Division/Group Supervisor:		Megan Adamczyk		
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Analytical Data	Megan Adamczyk	1		UCP
GIS	Ryan Bahnfleth	1	Personal Phone/Ex. 6	UCP
6. Work Assignments: Manage sampling results. Provide sampling result summaries to support OPS. Develop and provide maps to assist OPS and IC.				
7. Special Instructions: none				
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6. Work Assignments: Coordinate information between agencies for public dissemination. Handle agency specific public dissemination. Social media monitoring. Develop informational talking points for field representatives. Develop anticipated public interest questions. Incoming Calls Q&A delegation.																																										
7. Special Instructions: Any and all coordinated public information releases must go through JIC Manager via Lead PIO for UC approval. Any public dissemination involving Area Command must go thorough Area Lead PIO.																																										
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INCIDENT RADIO COMMUNICATIONS PLAN (ICS 205)

1. Incident Name: CO-COEM-1002	2. Date/Time Prepared: Date: 8/16/15 Time: 13:55	3. Operational Period: Date From: 8/17/15 Time From: 7:00 Date To: 8/23/15 Time To: 7:00
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5. Special Instructions:
Command channel and Tactical channel will be the same Talk Group so that Incident personnel can monitor all activities.

6. Prepared by (Communications Unit Leader):	Name: Steve Schroder	Date/Time:	Signature: 
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Claims 1800 Number	844-607-9700
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Durango La Plata Dispatch	970-385-2900
Media	970-812-3351
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MEDICAL PLAN (ICS 206)

1. Incident Name: CO-COEM-I002 Gold King Mine Release A8K9		2. Operational Period: Date From: 8/20/15 Date To: 8/23/15 Time From: 0700 Time To: 0700					
3. Medical Aid Stations:							
Name	Location	Contact Number(s)/Frequency	Paramedics on Site?				
Urgent Care	2577 Main Street, Durango, CO	970-247-8382	Yes				
Silverton Clinic	1450 Green Street, Silverton, Co	970-387-5023	Yes				
4. Transportation (indicate air or ground):							
Ambulance Service	Location	Contact Number(s)/Frequency	Level of Service				
Durango FPD (G)	104 Shepard Dr., Durango, CO	970-382-6000	ALS				
Silverton/SJ Ambulance (G)	1450 Green Street, Silverton, CO	970-387-5887	ALS				
Flight For Life (A)	11600 W. 2 nd Place, Lakewood, CO	720-321-3900	ALS				
ALCS Advanced Air (A)		800-633-3590	ALS				
5. Hospitals:							
Hospital Name	Address, Latitude & Longitude if Helipad	Contact Number(s)/Frequency	Travel Time		Trauma Center	Burn Center	Helipad
			Air	Ground			
Mercy Medical Center	1010 Three Springs Blvd,	970-764-2100 ER 970-247-4311 (main)	5 min	20 min	Type III	No	Yes
St Anthony Hospital-Centura	11600 W. 2 nd Place, Lakewood, CO	720-321-0600			Type 1	Yes	Yes
6. Special Medical Emergency Procedures:							
In the event of an emergency call 911 and seek medical attention immediately.							
Notify Immediate Supervisor and Safety Officer, report all injuries and accidents no matter how minor.							
Safety Officer Tony Honnellio Safety Officer Craig Groman Personal Phone/Ex. 6 Safety Officer Jason Nakatsu							
For major injuries or accidents an incident within an incident will be declared. The Incident Commander will be Craig Myers for EPA personnel / contractors, Butch Knowlton for all other events. Safety Officer will be Tony Honnellio Personal Phone/Ex. 6							
An AED and first aid kit are located in the command post.							
7. Prepared by (Medical Unit Leader): Name: Jason Nakatsu Signature:							
8. Approved by (Safety Officer): Name: Craig Groman/Tony Honnellio Signature:							
ICS 206		IAP Page _____		Date/Time: 8/19/15 8:00			

Website: www2.epa.gov/GoldKingMine
Site ID: A8K9RV

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Incident Name	Gold King Mine Release
Operational Period:	72 Hours (Day Ops Only)
Prepared By:	LChavez
Date:	8/19/15

1. Incident Name: Gold King Mine Release	2. Operational Period: Date From: 8/20/15 Date To: 8/23/15 Time From: 7:00 am Time To: 7:00 am
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Safety Message/Expanded Safety Message, Safety Plan, Site Safety Plan:

If new to the area the altitude can affect your health and endurance. The use of sunscreen, taking frequent breaks and staying hydrated can reduce the effects.

While you do it every day, driving is probably the most dangerous thing you will do today. Please watch for wildlife, avoid distracted driving (texting and talking), wear your seatbelt and obey all traffic laws. Share driving duties with co-workers when possible. If driving long distances take breaks, get out, stretch and walk around. Be patient, tourist, farming, road construction and other activities may slow traffic speeds.

Mine Ops (Note):
 Due to the remote location, altitude and narrow unstable roads create a dangerous environment. Continue to keep good communication on traffic movement, use spotters when backing up or turning around, maintain situational awareness, stay hydrated and monitor work/rest for heavy exertion tasks. All visitors to the mine shall attend the site safety brief prior to entry.

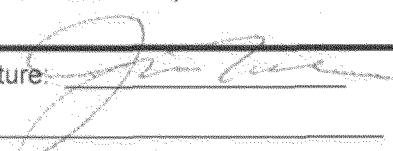
UTV Operation:
 Keep speed to maximum of 10mph, ensure all operations attend Coast Guard training, radio communication for traffic control, use seat belts and a spotter while reversing.

The Emergency Response Peer Support team offer trained peer staff with whom you can talk to on a private basis, either in person or over the phone, when you feel stressed. Come and relax at the CISM Rest House. You can use the Rest House to take a nap, have snacks, meditate or just chat.

Please report any accident, injury, or illness to the safety officers. Also report near misses; lessons learned may save someone else in the future.

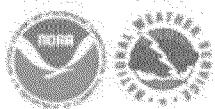
4. Site Safety Plan Required? Yes

Approved Site Safety Plan(s) Located At: Gold King Mine (mine operations), Combined water & sediment sampling health and safety plan is under development (8/11/15-EPA IMT SO arrival pending continued work)

5. Prepared by: Name: Jason Nakatsu, Paul Hollar Position/Title: SO, SOF3	Signature: 
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ICS Safety Message

1. Incident Name Gold King Mine Release A8K9RV		2. Operational Period (Date/Time) From: 8/20/2015 0700 To: 8/23/2015 700		DAILY MEETING SCHEDULE ICS 230-OS	
3. Meeting Schedule (Commonly-held meetings are included)					
Date/ Time	Meeting Name	Purpose	Attendees	Location	
0700	Morning Briefing	Review prior days' events, plan for current day. Pass out IAP. Conduct Safety Brief	Everyone	ICP Main room	
0730	Unified Command	Discuss day's objectives	Unified Command	ICP Main Room	
0830	Command and General Staff	Present decisions and management direction to all Command and General Staff. Clarify objectives, close open items	Command & General Staff, SITL	ICP Main Room	
0900	Area Command Call	EPA/UC Coordination	EPA/UC Area Command	Area Command Room	
0930	Daily PIO Call	Determine communication needs	JIC	Conference call	
1100	Tactics Meeting 8/20, 8/22	Develop primary and alternate Strategies to meet Incident Objectives for the next Operational Period.	PSC, OPS, LSC	ICP Main Room	
1400	Planning Meeting 8/20, 8/22	Review status and finalize strategies and assignments to meet Incident Objectives for the next Operational Period.	Determined by the IC/UC	ICP Main Room	
1400	Congressional Call	Discuss communication strategies with officials	EPA /Elected officials	Conference Call	
1300	PIO Checkin	Discussion with PIOs	PIOs only	JIC	
1500	Media Call	Discuss day's events, Q&A session	EPA and Media	ICP Main Room	
1700	Unified Command Meeting	Review/ identify objectives for the next operational period	Unified Command members	Picnic area	
1800	PIO Wrap up 8/21, 8/22	Discuss day's accomplishments and open items	PIOs	JIC	
1800	Area Command Call	EPA/UC Coordination	EPA/UC Area Command	Area Command Room	
4. Prepared by: Karen Dickson, Deputy PSC(t)			Date/Time 8/19/2015		
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Current conditions at

MOLAS PASS (CAMLP)

Lat: 37.75139°N Lon: 107.69111°W Elev: 10801ft.

NA

42°F

6°C

Humidity 44%

Wind Speed WSW 2 G 5 MPH

Barometer NA

Dewpoint 22°F (-6°C)

Visibility NA

Last update 19 Aug 6:00 am MDT

Extended Forecast for

Silverton CO

Today



Sunny

High: 70 °F

Tonight



Mostly Clear

Low: 39 °F

Thursday



Sunny

High: 69 °F

Thursday
Night



Partly Cloudy

Low: 40 °F

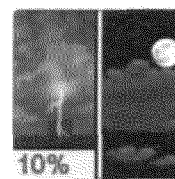
Friday



Mostly Sunny
then Slight
Chance
T-storms

High: 69 °F

Friday
Night



Slight Chance
T-storms then
Partly Cloudy

Low: 41 °F

Detailed Forecast

Today

Sunny, with a high near 70. East wind around 10 mph becoming west northwest in the afternoon.

Tonight

Mostly clear, with a low around 39. West northwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming east southeast after midnight.

Thursday

Sunny, with a high near 69. West northwest wind 5 to 15 mph.

Thursday Night

Partly cloudy, with a low around 40. West northwest wind 5 to 15 mph becoming south southwest after midnight.



Friday

A 20 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after 3pm. Mostly sunny, with a high near 69. West wind 5 to 15 mph.

Friday Night

A 10 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before midnight. Partly cloudy, with a low around 41.

Saturday

A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, mainly after noon. Partly sunny, with a high near 67.

Saturday Night

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms before midnight. Partly cloudy, with a low around 41.

Sunday

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms after noon. Mostly sunny, with a high near 69.

Sunday Night

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms before midnight. Partly cloudy, with a low around 41.

Monday

A chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly sunny, with a high near 69.

Monday Night

Mostly cloudy, with a low around 42.

Tuesday

A chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly sunny, with a high near 69.

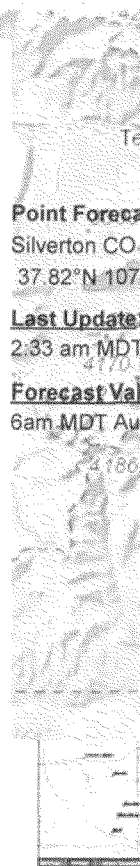
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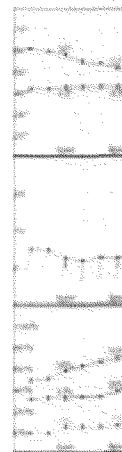
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Current conditions at

Durango (22) (CO058)

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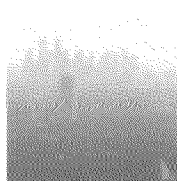
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82°F
28°C

Humidity 23%
Wind Speed WSW 7 G 21 MPH
Barometer NA
Dewpoint 41°F (5°C)
Visibility NA
Heat Index 80°F (27°C)
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Extended Forecast for Durango CO

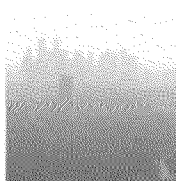
Tonight



Haze

Low: 45 °F

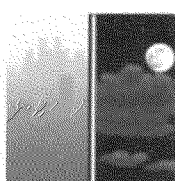
Thursday



Haze

High: 87 °F

Thursday
Night



Haze then
Partly Cloudy

Low: 53 °F

Friday



Mostly Sunny

High: 85 °F

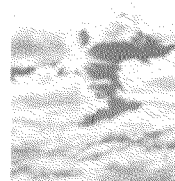
Friday
Night



Partly Cloudy

Low: 54 °F

Saturday



Partly Sunny

High: 83 °F

Detailed Forecast

Tonight

Widespread haze. Mostly clear, with a low around 45. West wind 5 to 10 mph becoming north northeast after midnight.

Thursday

Widespread haze. Mostly sunny, with a high near 87. Light and variable wind becoming west 10 to 15 mph in the afternoon.

Thursday Night

Widespread haze before midnight. Partly cloudy, with a low around 53. West wind 5 to 15 mph becoming northeast after midnight.

Friday



Mostly sunny, with a high near 85. Light and variable wind becoming west southwest 10 to 15 mph in the afternoon.

Friday Night

Partly cloudy, with a low around 54. West wind 10 to 15 mph becoming north northwest 5 to 10 mph after midnight.

Saturday

Partly sunny, with a high near 83.

Saturday Night

Partly cloudy, with a low around 53.

Sunday

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms after noon. Mostly sunny, with a high near 85.

Sunday Night

Partly cloudy, with a low around 54.

Monday

A slight chance of showers and thunderstorms after noon. Mostly sunny, with a high near 83.

Monday Night

Mostly cloudy, with a low around 54.

Tuesday

A chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly sunny, with a high near 81.

Tuesday Night

Mostly cloudy, with a low around 54.

Wednesday

Partly sunny, with a high near 82.

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Durango CO

37.27°N 107.

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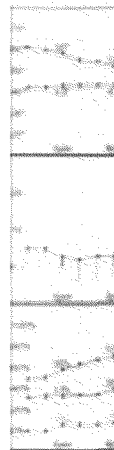
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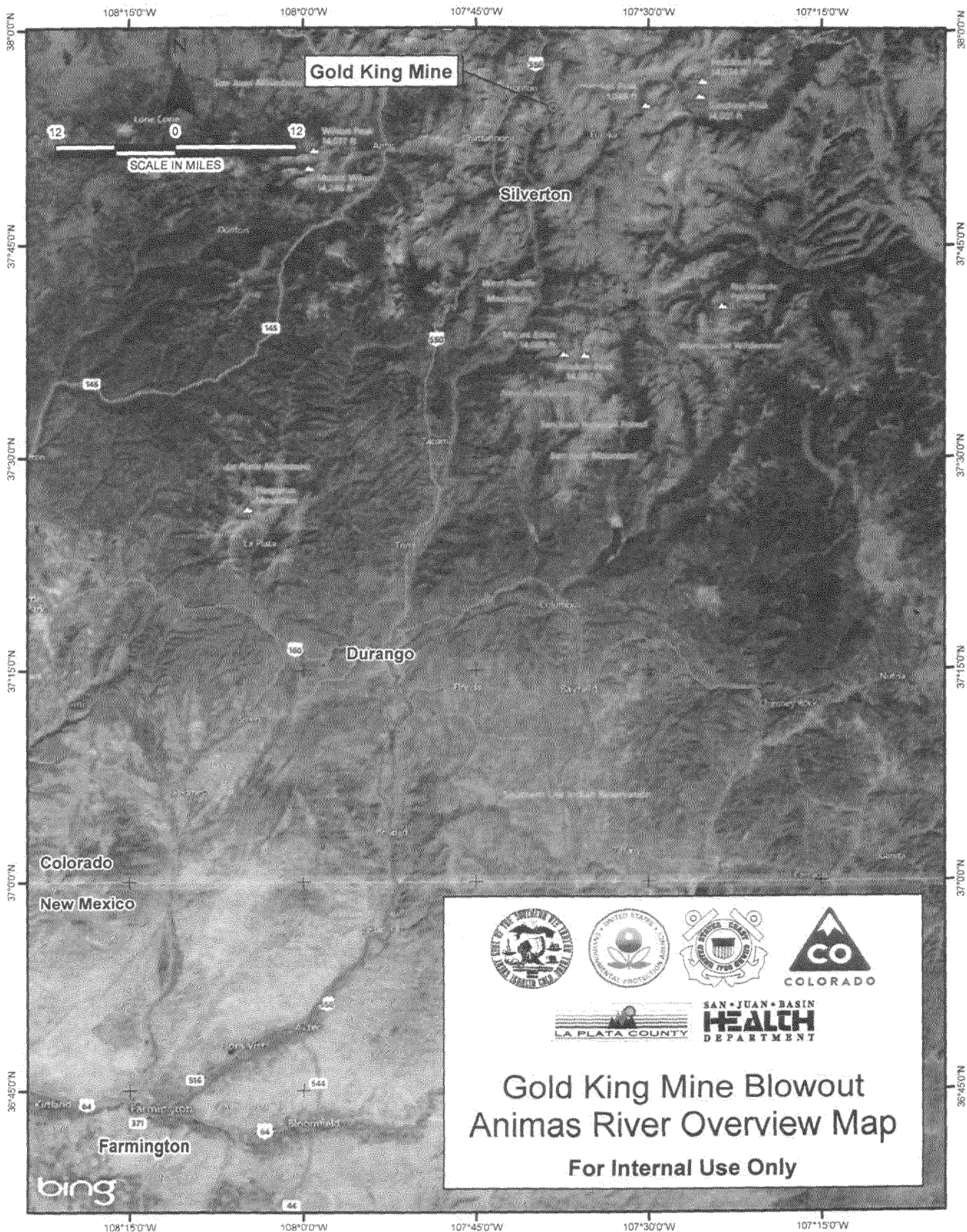
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Contract Field Talking Points

What are you doing?

I am performing environmental sampling in support of the Animas River Unified Command.

Contract personnel are free to explain standard operating procedures:

- gloves are used to preserve sample integrity, they are not required for person protection
- explain preservation steps
- explain how to sample, etc.

How do I get more information?

San Juan Basin Health
281 Sawyer Drive #200
Durango, Colorado 81303
970-385-8700
email: animasriver2015@gmail.com
web: www.sjbhd.org

Government Field Notes

What are you doing?

On August 5, the Gold King Mine released water that was held above the mine tunnel, spilling about 3 million gallons of mine waste into Cement Creek a tributary of the Animas River. Even though the majority of the mine water from the event has passed, both EPA and the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment continue to monitor the situation by sampling water and sediment to determine the long term course action.

Is it safe to use the river?

The data indicates that the river has returned to stable conditions that are not a concern for human health during typical recreational exposure. There will be some discoloration of the water when the sediment is disturbed, this discoloration does not pose an immediate health risk. The San Juan Basin Health Department concurs with the state health department findings, and advises that there are no adverse health effects from exposure to the water and sediment during normal recreational use (incidental or limited exposure). The San Juan Basin Health Department advises the public to avoid areas with orange sediment or discolored standing water. Further, anyone coming in contact with any orange sediment or discolored standing water should wash with soap and water.

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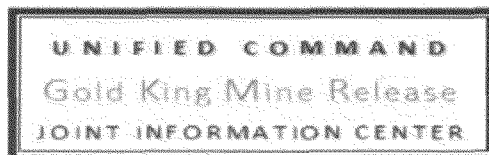
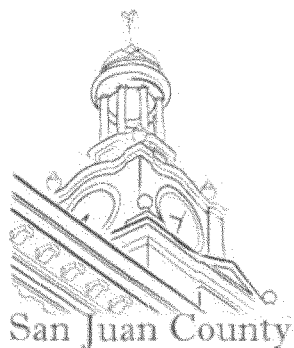
The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment has collected and analyzed water quality and sediment from the Animas River. The data indicates that the river has returned to stable conditions that are not a concern for human health during typical recreational exposure. There will be some discoloration of the water when the sediment is disturbed, this discoloration does not pose an immediate health risk.

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The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment will continue to test water and sediment routinely and will respond quickly to any potential issues. Visit the [state health department website](#) for data and updates. The San Juan Basin Health Department will remain in contact with state health department and will provide any updates and public health recommendations as necessary.

EFFECTIVE FRIDAY, AUGUST 14, 2015 at 12:00 PM

San Juan Basin Health 281 Sawyer Drive #200 Durango, Colorado 81303 970-247-5702



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**All Media Contacts for Silverton and San Juan County to be
channeled through Gold King Mine Release Joint Information Office**

Media Contact streamlined to speed information dissemination.

Monday, August 17, 2015

Durango – The Gold King Mine Release Joint Information Office (JIC) will be facilitating all media contacts and interview requests for Silverton and San Juan County concerning the Gold King Mine Release. Media may contact the JIC by calling 970-812-3351 or email at GoldKingMinePIO@gmail.com.

Whereas there are a small number of public information personnel stationed in the Silverton area, there is a fully staffed JIC at the Durango Unified Command Post. By routing contacts and requests through the JIC, we can expedite information requests and connect members of the media with the people who can answer their questions in a more timely manner.

Public Information Officers for Gold King Mine Release Unified Command are available to answer questions, arrange for interviews and assist media working on Gold King Mine Release story.

Michael Davis, PIO/JIC Manager

Incident Within an Incident Organizational Chart
Accident or Injury Incident

